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THE TURKISH CAVALRY IN ARME-
NIA.

The Russian army in Armenia had a
force of 15,000 regular cavalry covering
its advance. Mukhtar Pasha, during
the first month of his campaign, could
scarcely conduct a respectable recon-
naissance to ascertain where the enemy
was, for he had no cavalry. Early in
June a regiment of mounted
Circassians numbering 500, and 50 Kurd
horsemen, under the command of Mousa
Pasha, were sent from Erzeroum to the
Saghunian. A correspondent of the
London News describes their entry into
camp. They came filing two deep in a
long column over the hillsides, each of
the five squadrons having a crimson or
part-colored red-and-white banner at its
head, blazoned with a white crescent
and a star. The men wore the long Cir-
cassian tunic, reaching to the middle
calf and confined at the waist by an em-
brodered belt, supporting the usual
guardless cimeter and long dagger with
primitive leaf-shaped blade, besides the
accustomed supply of highly-ornamented
pistols, pipes and silver-mounted
bores. The tunics were mostly black or
dark olive, though there was a sprink-
ling of bright saffron, green and crimson,
especially among the chiefs and
princes. They wore the usual Cir-
cassian head-dress, a red or white tall cap
surrounded by a mop-like covering of
black or brown Astrakhan fur, concealing
all but the top of the inner cap. Both
sides of the breast are covered by
double horizontal rows of wooden or
silver cartridge tubes, according to the
social position of the individual. Each
man carried at his back a sixteen-shoot-
ing Winchester rifle, and many, loth to
part with their ancestral weapons, carried
in addition the quaint-looking,
strut-stocked, silver-ringed, flint-lock of
his native mountains. Next came the
Kurds, still more picturesque than the
Circassians, with their large, bright-
tinted turbans, and crimson and blue
flowing garments showing through light
muslin and silk mantles. Extravagantly
wide trousers and red leather boots
turned up at the toes completed the at-
tire. The armament consisted of the
Winchester rifle, curved cimeter, and
long red-like lance, which they shook
and brandished till it quivered like a
vibrating string. These troops were
subsequently defeated by the Russians,
between the mountains and Kars.

At the present time only a "green-
horn" would think of salting a mine
anywhere in this region, and it was a
"greenhorn" who lately caused several
persons in this city to expend a consid-
erable amount of money in buggy hire and
to wear out some shoe leather. The
man showed several pieces of quartz
that were pretty well sprinkled with free
gold and said they were obtained at a
point in the hills near the town of Satro.
The men he had in tow made numerous
trips to the place designated, but none
of them were altogether satisfactory in
their results. Pieces of quartz showing
gold were occasionally found, but the
precious metal did not seem to be as
generally diffused as they wished to see
it. Finally, an expert was given some
of the specimens and sent to the ground.
He soon found that there was no float
rock below or near the hole called a mine
at all like that in which the gold was
shown. On breaking a specimen or two
he found there was no gold inside of
them; it was all on the surface. A close
inspection of some of the bits of gold
dug out of small cavities in the quartz
showed them to be composed of gold
leaf, and so light and fluffy that they
could be blown away. The expert came
home greatly disgusted, and since his
return there have been no more mys-
terious pilgrimages to the "great dis-
covery." The bits of gold foil or gold
leaf were most ingeniously tamped into
little holes in the rock, and had the
quartz been taken from a place where
there was plenty of float of the same
kind the sell might have succeeded.—
[Virginia Enterprise.]

New York Herald: Governor Seymour
never showed a better appreciation of
the principles of true greatness than
when in a recent interview of his life he
inquired what twenty acts of his life he
would prefer to wipe out had he the
power to do so. Should they be his
business mistakes, his foolish acts or
his grievances? After considering, he
concluded that he could not spare
these—the things by which he had
profited, the very price of wisdom. He
could better afford to expunge, instead
of his mistakes, his triumphs. He could
not afford to miss the tonic mortification,
the refinement of sorrow; he needed
them every one. All his acquaintance
with the eminent men of our country he
said had taught him that the key to
greatness is found in a fearless self-ex-
amination. How true this is. The
great pivotal difference by which we rise
or fall turns upon the way in which we
grapple with our faults, and the experi-
ence of New York's great statesman has
been repeated again and again in the
lives of other men, small and great.

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A Valuable Historic Document.

A rich discovery of documents that
throw considerable light on the
history of California from the founda-
tion of the Mission until the surren-
der of the country to America, was
recently made by Major Jose M. Pico,
of this city. Among the effects left by
his father, Andres Pico, one of the sign-
ers of the treaty ceding the territory in
1847, were two trunks that have long
been neglected. These were opened
about two months ago and found to be
packed with family papers, books and
articles of value as souvenirs. The
grandfather of Major Pico was of the
party that came overland from Mexico to
found the Missions, and his uncle, Pio
Pico, was Mexican Governor of the Terri-
tory. As might be anticipated, there-
fore, so large a mass of documents
treasured up by a family that has played
so conspicuous a part in the history of
the coast, is found to be replete with in-
terest. They give accurate and copious
information on the management of the
Missions, among them being copies of
the reports that were transmitted to
Spain, and they afford the materials for
a thorough insight into the dreamy pas-
toral life led by the early settlers. Be-
sides family papers, there is much cor-
respondence with notables of the Span-
ish occupation, and a good deal of mat-
ter that, dealt with competently, will
vivify the narrative of the surrender to
America. Scraps of historic lore con-
nected with Spain have also been un-
earthed, and there is a budget of official
communications extending from 1777 to
1842. One of the documents shows that
at early period of the strife Andres Pico
foresew the outcome of the situation,
and advised acknowledgement of Ameri-
can rule, and that in 1850, when prepa-
rations were on foot for insurrection, he
made representations dissuading the
ringleaders from the attempt. A large
portion of the papers have been placed
in the hands of Hubert Bancroft, as ma-
terial for his history of California.
Among the relics is a Mexican flag of
the year of Independence, and an Ameri-
can flag captured at San Pascual, part of
which is preserved in the City of Mexico.
—[S. F. Call.]

Santa Rosa Democrat: In the County
Court, this other day, a jury went out
late in the afternoon in a case involving
only twenty dollars. About bed time
they told the Sheriff they had agreed,
whereupon the Court was opened in due
form, the Judge upon the bench, the
Sheriff at his place, and the well appar-
elled Deputy Clerk with his good-natured
face turned expectantly toward the jury.
They filed in with due solemnity. The
Foreman rose to his feet and announced
the verdict in the following terms: "We,
the jury, have agreed to disagree." The
Sheriff looked quickly toward the panel
and an ominous sternness settled on his
face. "What's that?" said the Court.
The verdict was repeated. "The Sheriff,"
said the Court, "will return the jury to
their room and keep them there until
the usual hour of opening Court to-mor-
row morning." Slowly and sadly they
filed back to their bedless chamber to
pass the night as best they could,
sadder but wiser men. Next morning
they had not agreed, but they did not
say they had "agreed to disagree."

A News reporter called upon C. L.
Weller, President of the Ophir and Mexi-
can Mining Companies, at the Ophir
hoisting works to-day. In answer to a
question by the reporter, Mr. Weller
said that he expected to make a system-
atic investigation of the charges that had
been brought against the management
of the Ophir and Mexican mines, and
especially with regard to the matter of
Mrs. Cooper and her alleged influence
in the hiring and discharging of men.
An interview between Mr. Weller and a
committee of the Virginia miners' Union
has been arranged, at which time they
will be invited to make a full statement
of such facts as they may be in posses-
sion of touching this affair. Mr. Weller
says he is entirely unprejudiced, and
that his only object is to secure, as near
as may be, the truth concerning these
crooked transactions, if any have oc-
curred; that the only interests he has to
subserve are those of the companies
and the stockholders, and that the ex-
amination shall be searching, no matter
whose toes are trodden upon. The men
themselves are to be questioned, and
Captain Curtis will be confronted with
his accusers. If a witness shall give
testimony of sufficient importance he
will be sworn, and his deposition legally
attested. Mr. Weller does not think it
necessary that the examination shall be
conducted publicly. Reporters will
therefore be excluded. The mission of
Mr. Weller is to collect facts and figures
which are to be laid before the Board of
Directors, who will have power to act as
they see fit.—[Gold Hill News.]

A POLAR EXPEDITION.—Captain Tyson
starts next week on a new expedition to
the Polar regions, for the purpose of
establishing what is called the Howgate
Polar Colony. The object is to collect
data in reference to the meteorology of
the Arctic regions, and is one of the
number of Polar colonies which it is
proposed to establish. The appeal of
Captain Howgate for contributions in
aid of the family of Captain Tyson during
his absence is one that should commend
itself to the friends of Polar exploration.

When the foreman of a composing
room knocks a form into "pi" now, he
doesn't have it reset as of yore. He
simply slaps it into the press as it is and
the newspaper is run off with a war map
up to the average.

A MILL.

[Ward Beecher, 234.]
The prize ring has had its votaries in
almost every age, and will have them
undoubtedly as long as time lasts, but
we are gratified to know that it is at
least losing caste among the men of our
country through the influence of our
press. We are always sorry when we
are compelled to chronicle one of these
events by giving our readers the news
of the day, but now as in the past we
forgo our personal feelings and give
to our readers, not in true prize ring
style, but the substance of a mill that
occurred on Thursday last. The prin-
cipals in the contest were, we are very
sorry to say, of the gentler sex, "fair
but frail." Della Latham is a good-
looking brunette, height about 5 feet 2
inches and weighs about 120 pounds.
Her antagonist, commonly called the
"French Delusion," is a trifle taller,
and will pull down the scales at about
125.

THE MILL.

First.—The cause. It is evident the
"green-eyed monster" had taken pos-
session of the brunette, and that she
soured on it, and hunting "her man" at
his domicile, she opened the ball by
breaching window glass and smashing
things generally. From thence she
hunted the victim of her rage and find-
ing her, the "mill" opened in good style.
Round first.—The brunette led off with
her right, hitting "Frenchy" in her
broad-brimmed hat, and sent her to grass,
and following up her advantage she violated
all rules of the prize ring by proceeding
to put a head on her victim.
Round second.—The brunette arrested
and put in the "cooler," brought be-
fore Justice Murray, fined \$25, which
she paid, and now announces that she
can knock more frogs out of a Bonap-
artist than the Germans did—and that
is the self-same kind of a "cool-burner"
she is.

The population of London for 1876
is estimated by the Registrar General at
4,268,607, or more than a million in ex-
cess of the returns of the census for 1871.
The section embraced in the Registrar's
tables, under the name of London, in-
cludes parts of three counties, and com-
prises an area of 122 square miles. The
city of London is itself only a district in
the metropolis.

Cronin of Oregon picked up a news-
paper the other day, when his eye ac-
cidentally fell upon Bayard Taylor's new
poem of "Peach Blossom." The Phila-
delphia Bulletin alleges that Cronin
dropped the paper as if it had been red-
hot iron, and then ejaculated, "Drat it,
can't the newspaper men ever stop mak-
ing fun of my nose?"

The Society of the Cincinnati recently
met, had a "feed," and condescended to
inform the public that the Washington
Monument fund reaches \$112,700.
When the half-dozen members of the
Society die, what will become of this
fund, for they will never commence the
monument?

The great-grand grandmother of one of
the attendants of the Illinois Deaf Mute
Asylum was a daughter of King Charles
XII of Sweden, and the Illinoisans
have pretty much ceased to associate
with people from other States.

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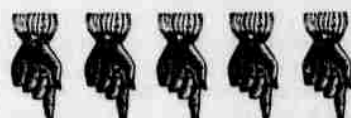
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ASSESSMENTS, ETC.

**American Flag Mill and Mining
Company.**—Location of principal place of
business, San Francisco, California; location of
works, Pioche, Lincoln county, Nevada.—Notice
is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board
of Directors, held on the 28th day of June, 1877,
an assessment (No. 10) of Twenty-five Cents
per share was levied upon the capital stock of
the corporation, payable immediately in United
States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office
of the Company, No. 320 California street, Room
No. 5, San Francisco, California.
Any stock upon which this assessment shall
remain unpaid on the 31st day of July,
1877, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale
at public auction, and unless payment is made
before, will be sold on the 27th day of August,
1877, to pay the delinquent assessment, together
with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.
By order of the Board of Directors,
GEO. B. SPINNEY, Secretary.
Office—No. 320 California street, San Fran-
cisco, California. j27-14

Notice of Removal.

The office of the American Flag Mill and
Mining company is removed to No 310 Pine
street, Rooms Nos. 44 and 46, San Francisco,
California.

GEO. B. SPINNEY, Secretary.

Postponement.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the
American Flag Mill and Mining Company held
on the 26th day of July, 1877, the date of de-
linquency of assessment No. 10 was postponed to
August 14th, 1877, and date of sale of
delinquent stock postponed till September 17th,
1877.

GEO. B. SPINNEY, Secretary.

Office—Room 44, 310 Pine street, San Fran-
cisco, California. j28-14

Alps Silver Mining Company.—Location
of principal place of business, San Fran-
cisco, California; location of works, Pioche,
Lincoln County, Nevada.—Notice is here-
by given that at a meeting of the Board of
Directors, held on the 28th day of July,
1877, an assessment (No. 11) of Fifty Cents per
share was levied upon the capital stock of the
corporation, payable immediately, in United
States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office
of the Company, Room 28 Stevenson Building,
San Francisco, California.
Any stock upon which this assessment shall
remain unpaid on the 28th day of August,
1877, will be delinquent, and advertised for
sale at public auction, and unless payment
is made before, will be sold on Tuesday, the 25th
day of September, 1877, to pay the delinquent
assessment, together with costs of advertising
and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors,
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TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Pioche, July 19th, 1877.

TO THE HOLDERS OF CERTIFICATES OF
Indebtedness of Lincoln County, accrued
prior to the 1st of April, A. D. 1875.

Whereas, there is now the sum of One Thou-
sand Dollars in the Redemption Fund, I here-
by notify the holders of said indebtedness that
sealed proposals for the surrender of the same
will be received at my office up to the 4th day
of August, A. D. 1877, in accordance with an
Act of the Legislature of the State of Nevada,
approved March 4th, A. D. 1875.

D. A. FULKE,
Treasurer.

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE ES-
tate of L. V. Loomis, Bankrupt, in Bank-
ruptcy, are hereby notified to call on the un-
derigned, Assignee of said estate, at his office (the
Alps Mining Company's office), immediately,
and settle their accounts and thereby avoid
legal proceedings to enforce collection of the
same.

J. F. HALLOCK,
Assignee of the estate of L. V. Loomis, Bankrupt.
j23-14

NOTICE.

ALL THOSE INDEBTED TO MILES QUIL-
LEN will please settle before the 10th day
of August, 1877, and save expense, as all bills
then due will be placed in the hands of a col-
lector, with full power to sue and attach such
here and in Utah.

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